Vision 2020

1824. SHRI R.S. GAVAI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have examined the report Vision 2020 submitted by S.P. Gupta Committee;

(b) if so, the main recommendations made in the report;

(c) whether Government propose to take action on proposals made in the report;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI SATYABRATA MOOKHERJEE): (a) Report of the Committee on India Vision 2020 has been received by the Planning Commission and released to the public for wider debate and discussion. Copies of the Report are placed in the Parliament Library.

(b) The report visualizes a very long-term vision for the year 2020. To each that vision, it emphasises, along with several other key policy changes, the will and determination of the people to revive its old heritage and learn from the lessons of the other countries instead of imitating them in a blind folded manner.

(c) and (d) The medium-term policy recommendations of the Government are incorporated in the Tenth Five Year Plan Document, as approved by the National Development Council.

(e) Does not arise.

Total plan outlay for States

1825. SHRI ABU ASIM AZMI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total plan outlay, for the current year as grants and loans separately, State-wise;

(b) the number of Central and Centrally-Sponsored Schemes as on 1st April, 2003, Ministry-wise; and